

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
EASTERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

PATRICIA KATHLEEN HAERENS,)	Case No.: 1:20-cv-1534 JLT
Plaintiff,)	
v.)	ORDER REMANDING THE MATTER
)	PURSUANT TO SENTENCE FOUR OF 42 U.S.C.
)	§ 405(g)
KILOLO KIJAKAZI ¹)	ORDER DIRECTING ENTRY OF JUDGMENT IN
Acting Commissioner of Social Security,)	FAVOR OF PLAINTIFF PATRICIA HAERENS
Defendant.)	AND AGAINST DEFENDANT KILOLO
)	KIJAKAZI, ACTING COMMISSIONER OF
)	SOCIAL SECURITY

On November 29, 2021, Patricia Haerens and Kilolo Kijakazi, Acting Commissioner of Social Security, stipulated to a voluntary remand for further administrative proceedings pursuant to sentence four of 42 U.S.C. § 405(g). (Doc. 18 at 1-2.) Pursuant to the terms of the stipulation, the Appeals Council shall “remand the case to an Administrative Law Judge (ALJ) for a new hearing and a new decision.” (*Id.* at 1.) The parties also stipulated that judgment shall be entered in favor of Plaintiff and against the Commissioner. (*Id.*)

Based upon the terms of the stipulation, the Court **ORDERS**:

1. The matter is **REMANDED** for further administrative proceedings under sentence four

¹ The action was originally filed against Andrew Saul in his capacity as the Commissioner of Social Security. (*See* Doc. 1 at 1.) The Court has substituted Kilolo Kijakazi, who has since been appointed the Acting Commissioner of Social Security, as the defendant. *See* Fed. R. Civ. P. 25(d).

1 of 42 U.S.C. § 405(g);

2 2. Plaintiff's appeal of the administrative decision (Doc. 16) is terminated as **MOOT**; and

3 3. The Clerk of Court is DIRECTED to enter judgment in favor of Plaintiff Patricia
4 Kathleen Haerens and against Defendant Kilolo Kijakazi, the Acting Commissioner of
5 Social Security.

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7 IT IS SO ORDERED.

8 Dated: **December 2, 2021**

/s/ Jennifer L. Thurston
CHIEF UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE